

Grayling Twp. Starts Sewer Study

Grayling Township has authorized Edmonds Engineering of Bay City to conduct a study to determine sanitary sewer and sewage treatment needs for the more densely populated, and developed areas of the Township.

After completion of the study the Engineers will present a Preliminary Report to the Township Officials outlining areas of proposed service, treatment facilities and financing details.

According to B. J. Fowler, Township Supervisor, the report will be completed in September 1974. After the report is delivered, the Township will investigate the availability of funds for construction of needed facilities on a priority basis.

DNR Sets Campground Public Hearings

A series of public hearings on proposed State Forest Campground development and redevelopment plans has been announced by Regional Forester Robert A. Borak of the Department of Natural Resources, Roscommon. The meetings will all begin at 7:30 p.m. and will be held as follows: June 11, 1974 at the Onaway High School on construction plans for Tomahawk-Shoepac-Francis Lakes Campground complex; June 12, 1974 at the Lewiston Bank in Atlanta on the proposed Avery Lake development and June 13, 1974 at the Crawford County Courthouse, Grayling on the AuSable Canoe Camp Redevelopment.

All interested citizens are invited to attend and review the proposed plans.

Forestry Division Recreation Planners will be on hand to discuss the projects and receive comments from those in attendance.

Downtown Parking Lot A Reality

The Grayling Regional Development Corporation announced today through a joint statement issued by Earl H. "Chum" Longworth, President, and William Joseph, Vice President, that the last hurdle has been cleared for additional downtown parking.

The property at 407 Peninsular was purchased on September 25, 1973 and a second piece of property at 409 Peninsular was purchased on May 31, 1974.

This will enable the downtown district to have parking facilities for an added (50) vehicles.

The City of Grayling has demolished the one residence and demolition of the second structure will begin immediately. The City has not charged the Development Corporation for this demolition work.

Jerry Morford, Grayling City Manager, and John Keir, Crawford County Road Commission Engineer, will do the necessary engineering work for site grading of the new parking facility once the demolition work is completed.

Council Adopts Budget; Change Lawn Sprinkling Requirements

In action last Tuesday, May 28, the city council approved the 1974-75 budget as presented, following the public hearing.

The operation budget for the fiscal year 1974-75 is \$350,599.00, as compared to \$349,959.00 in 1973-74.

In other action, the council changed the previous lawn sprinkling rate to include all

Our Apologies

The gremlins were at work at the Avalanche office last week. In the article on graduation, we inadvertently had Class Night set for Wednesday, June 6. The Class of '74 will have their fun night, Thursday, June 6.

We also received a wrong class motto. This year's class chose, "The Last Four Words of a Seniors Heart Are To Meet, To Learn, To Love, And To Part."

Also, the article pertaining to filing petitions for county candidates deadline, there will be seven county commissioner seats open to competition, instead of five that appeared in last week's issue.

Merit Plaques to Bus Drivers



Crawford AuSable School District bus drivers held their annual dinner at the Grayling Elementary School. Following the dinner, Transportation Coordinator, LeRoy Akers, presented merit plaques for service to the school district to Andie Neilson for 20 years, Mary Galloway - 5 years, Patricia Kozicki - 5 years, Bill Kent - 5 years, and Vern Hoag - 5 years.

Mr. Akers, Superintendent Fraser Dean and Business Manager Paul Lerg were given special gifts by the bus drivers.

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Poster Contest Winners



SHOWN RECEIVING their reward for their winning posters from Chamber President Chum Longworth and Marine Deputy Tim Kesteloot. From left to right, David Lindsay, Russell Stoddard, JoAnn Kesteloot, Sherri Wining and Kim Herrick.

Winners of the 1974 Water Safety Poster contest sponsored by the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce and the Crawford County Sheriff's Department were announced today. Winners in the 12 year old class were Kim Herrick and Sherri Wining; in the 13 year old class were David Lindsay and JoAnn Kesteloot. Winning both categories in the 14 year old class was Russell Stoddard. These first place winners all received a cash prize of \$5.00 for their interest in promoting safety afloat. Sheriff Hatfield stated that he was pleased with the interest that the area youngsters displayed in Marine Safety and that all the posters entered will be used to promote water safety in Crawford County.

Two Teachers Honored With Retirement Dinner, May 28

The Crawford-AuSable Education Association honored its two retiring members, Mrs. Carrie Baynham and Mrs. Evelyn Klein, during a dinner at the Chief Shoppenagon Hotel on May 28.

Mrs. Baynham is presently a fifth grade teacher at the Frederic Elementary School, where she has worked since 1961. A life-long resident of Crawford County, she first taught at the South Branch Township School and the Maple Forest School before leaving the profession in 1952 to marry and raise a family. In 1965 Mrs. Baynham received a bachelor of science degree in education from Central Michigan University.

MSEA to Elect New Officers

New officers for the local chapter of the Michigan State Employees Association will be elected next week, President Arthur Lucas has announced. The annual meeting has been set for Monday, June 10th, at Chief Shoppenagon Motor Hotel in Grayling.

MSEA members and spouses will gather for dinner at 7 p.m. preceding the business meeting and election. Reservations may be made by contacting "Cal" Knowles, Virgil Zech, or the Chapter secretary, Marian McMillen.

Jerry Veldman of Frederic, Field Representative for MSEA will be the guest speaker. Other guests will also include Regional Director Ralph Woodward of Vanderbilt.

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Real Estate Firm Opens In Downtown

On May 25th, Mill-Town Realty formally opened for business at 112 Michigan Ave., over the Grayling Insurance Agency.

The name was selected in keeping with the "Mill-Town U.S.A." theme being used in Grayling to bring back memories of the lumbering era.

The new firm consists of Eric E. Post as broker, G. Jerome Kesseler, Manager-Salesman, and Tom Jones, Salesman.

An invitation is extended to visit the office for coffee and an inspection of the antiquities.

MRS. JENS ZIERELL SUCUMBS MONDAY

Mrs. Jens [Frances] Zierell of Grayling passed away Monday evening. Funeral services will be held Thursday at two o'clock at Sorenson Funeral Home.

A full obituary will be in next week's Avalanche.

Registration Deadline June 14

Summer Swimming Classes

Now Being Formed

their swimming times are and where they can go to get on the bus which will transport them to the swimming area.

This year's Summer Swimming Program will begin on Monday June 24 and continue through Friday July 28. The program is being expanded to include classes for early elementary beginners, elementary beginners, advanced beginners, swimmers and junior life saving. All students of the Crawford AuSable School District presently in grades one through ten are eligible to take part in the program.

All instructors in the Summer Swimming Program are certified Water Safety Instructors by the American Red Cross. The classes are taught in cooperation with the Crawford County Sheriff's Department Marine Division and the Michigan Department of Natural Resources Forestry Division.

Transportation to and from the swimming site will be provided by the Crawford AuSable School District Community Services Department.

Earlier this week students of the Grayling and Frederic Elementary Schools and the Grayling Middle School were given registration blanks for summer swimming classes.

Students wishing to enroll in the program are asked to return the blanks along with their registration fee to the Community School Office no later than Friday, June 14.

Students will be notified by return mail of the class to which they have been assigned, what

EXERCISE YOUR RIGHT!
VOTE
Monday, June 10

Summer Rec. Tennis Program

This summer, a series of tennis lessons will be taught by LeRoy Christian, tennis instructor, at the grade school tennis courts. The lessons will begin on June 10th, terminating on July 31st. Eight lessons will be offered in the following classes:

Tennis 1 - grades 4, 5, 6 - Monday - 6:30-7:30.

Tennis 2 - grades 7-12 - Tuesday - 6:30-7:30.

Tennis 3-adults of any age-Wednesday-6:30 - 7:30.

Each class will be held to a minimum of eight players. No knowledge of tennis is necessary to start. Fees must be paid before instruction starts. Tennis racquets and balls must be furnished by the players.

Phone or contact: LeRoy H. Christian, tennis instructor, 348-9293, 111 Dale Street, Grayling.

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Board Members-Millage-Trustees for Kirtland and COOR

School Election This Monday

The annual school election for the Crawford-AuSable School District, plus the election of trustees for Kirtland Community College and COOR Intermediate School District, will be held on Monday, June 10th.

In the local school district, voters will be asked to elect two members to the board of education.

There is no contest for the board of education in the local school district, as Dave Wyman, incumbent, and James Duley have filed for the two vacant seats. Duley will replace Patrick Harwood, who did not seek re-election.

Voters in the district will also be asked to okay an additional 1.5 mills for school operation for a two-year period. The board of education has previously announced its intention to drop the millage levy for

debt retirement by 1.5 mills to offset the asked for operating increase.

The additional millage, plus a quarter of mill from the Allocation Board would bring the district's total operating millage to 19.25 mills, as compared to a statewide average of 26 mills.

Fraser Dean, School Superintendent stated that the additional moneys are needed to offset salary increases for the district's 170 employees, and the tremendous cost increases in heating and transportation fuels.

Millage Vote Forced by Bursley Bill

With the passing of the current school aid bill in August of 1973, the handwriting was on the wall for many low millage districts in northern Michigan. The bill, called the Bursley Bill because it was introduced by Senator Gilbert Bursley, requires districts to levy 22 mills for operation to get full state aid this year and 25 mills to get full state aid next year (74-75), according to Fraser Dean, Superintendent of Schools.

The rational behind the Bursley Bill is that since the average district in Michigan levies over 26 mills for operation, a district levying far below that average wasn't carrying its share of the burden.

To ease the shock a little to the low millage districts the bill included a provision that gave them 1/4 of the last state aid for 73-74, and 1/3 for 74-75, Dean stated.

Faced with declining revenues and escalating costs particularly in transportation and heating fuel the district is again forced to go to the voters for additional operating millage this time for 1 and one half mills for a two-year period.

With the inception of the Bursley Bill the Crawford AuSable School Board decided to limit their requests for additional operating funds to the extent they are able to drop their millage for debt retirement. This year they are able to drop the debt retirement millage from 4.7 mills to 3.2 mills for the 74-75 school year, Dean said.

The total millage levy for schools for a four-year period including next year is as follows:

	1971-72	1972-73	1973-74	1974-75
Allocated	6.25	6.50	6.50	6.75
Voted	8.50	8.50	11.00	12.50
Debt Ret.	9.75	7.00	4.70	3.20
Total	24.50	22.00	22.20	22.45

State Police Emergency Services Training at Camp Grayling Ends

Graduation exercises for the special State Police emergency services team were conducted Tuesday, June 4, at Camp Grayling.

The team of 25 officers have been trained for five weeks by specialists from other agencies under a federally-funded program.

The Tuesday program, began about 10 a.m., included demonstrations in various training phases, such as rifle shooting, boxing, rappelling, other physical exercises and security tactics.

Representing the department at the graduation was Lt. Col. Forrest J. Jacob, deputy director for field services. The day's program concluded about

Absentee Ballots

Absentee voter ballots for the annual school election which will be held June 10 may be picked up at the business office in the Middle School until 2:00 p.m. Saturday, June 8.

Yard Sale

The Senior Citizens will be having a Yard Sale on June 13, 14 and 15, from 9-6 on Lawson Ave. Be sure to come!

Grayling High School Building Trades Open House A Success



Over 200 people visited the house constructed by Grayling High School vocational students on Friday, May 24th and Saturday, May 25th. The bidding period is still open for any person interested in purchasing the house.

A minimum bid of \$27,000.00 with \$1,000.00 refundable security deposit will be accepted at the office of the Superintendent at 500 Spruce Street until 3:30, Monday, June 10th.

All bids will be opened at the meeting of the Board of Education, 8:00 p.m. on Monday, June 10th. The house will be sold to the highest bidder. The house may be seen by contacting Cornell Realty in Grayling.

The house has 1200 square feet of living space with attached 1 1/2 car garage and 8 foot patio deck off the family room. It has natural gas, forced air heating, is fully insulated, has 1 1/2 baths, 3 bedrooms, storms and screens, carpeting throughout and includes washer, dryer, range and refrigerator.

Special thanks for extra help must go out to members of the

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by Clara Sorenson

Found 3 generation families from GHS Tressa, Vallad Stephan '30 and Norval Stephan '27, a son John '53, a daughter Pat Stephan Fowler '51, a grandson Jeffry '71 and a granddaughter, Gail Fowler Vaughn '73. Clara Atkinson Sorenson '35, Robert Sorenson '35, 2 daughters, Nancy Sorenson Cox '54 and Judy '57, 2 sons, Norman '62 and John '66, and grandson William Cox '73. Class of 54 will hold Reunion on June 22. May I have the class addresses from some more of you people who have them revised?

WARNING

The Tank Range at Camp Grayling, located North of the North Down River Road and East of the East Branch of the AuSable River will be closed for Range firing 8-9 June 1974. The Artillery Range at Camp Grayling, located north of County Road 612 and South of the North Branch of the AuSable River, will be used by National Guard units 4 thru 9 June 1974 for air to ground and artillery range firing.

These ranges will be closed on above dates and all persons are warned to stay out of these areas.

Congratulations Class of '74



We Salute each of you fine people who have achieved this goal; we're very proud of you and we wish you all the best for the future.

May the knowledge you've gained serve you well in the years to come - and under your guidance may we find a world filled with peace and goodwill towards all men.

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To This Year's Graduates

As another school year ends, life will take a new twist for millions of young people throughout the nation. With graduation from high school or college, they will experience their first real taste of the workaday world. For many, the transition from the classroom to the working world will be fraught with uncertainty and apprehension. They must face important decisions concerning career, life-style and personal goals — decisions deeply affecting their future and that of the communities and of the nation where they will live their lives.

Let us hope that as they walk down the aisle, decked out in caps and gowns with the music of "Pomp and Circumstance" ringing in their ears, this year's graduates will be both equipped by their education and inspired by their vision to acquit themselves with honor and distinction in the task of helping shape the destiny of the world that will be theirs. The nation, in pride and in hope, wishes them well.

Cost Versus Benefit

Automobiles cost as much as a home did 30 years ago. A big cause is inflation. But added to this is the cost of superbumpers, air bags, catalytic mufflers and other expensive emission control devices, electric seatbelt-warning beepers and all sorts of other gadgets mandated by law. A good many people rip out all the warning buzzers in an effort to preserve their sanity and sneakily dismantle the gas-consuming pollution control equipment in an effort to keep rolling. Still, all these devices must be bought and paid for with every new car. Some of them are good, many are nonsense.

Every law passed to protect the environment or the consumer results in higher prices paid by everyone. It is time to take a hard look at the cost relative to the benefits that can be expected from any legislation contemplated in the areas of safety and environmental or consumer protection. If we don't watch out, we may be protected right out of our pocketbooks.

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6 Yr. Term
4 Yr. Term

JUNE 10th

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM
THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

June 7, 1951

made it a very happy day for David and his guests.

Camp Ausable, the Seventh Day Adventist camp on School Section Lake opened their summer season last weekend when about 50 from Pontiac enjoyed a weekend stay at the camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carlson of Hazel Park were guests of the latter's parents, John Kurek and Mrs. Shu-Pac Lake.

Bud Caid has been promoted to the rank of corporal. He is still stationed at Pusan, Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gildner are happy over the arrival of a son, Robert William, at Mercy Hospital on May 19. He weighed eight pounds. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gildner of Grayling and Mr. and Mrs. George Severn of Cass City are the proud grandparents.

Eshern Hanson, Jr., of Bay City is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eshern Hanson, Sr., at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. William McLeod and son, Dick, left Sunday to spend some time in Lansing with her sister and family, the Elmer Dunhams. They accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson who spent the day with the Wesley Dunham family.

Nancy Sorenson was hostess to a number of her friends at a weiner roast Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Graner and sons, George Jr., and Jim, were in Grayling for Memorial Day and to attend the Senior Class Night program. George Jr., was a member of this class from Kindergarten through the first semester of his freshman year, when the family moved to Big Rapids.

One of the class of 100 members, he graduated with honors, on May 31st at the Big Rapids High School.

Burton "Corky" Peterson was home from Lansing to spend the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Bertha Peterson. They visited Tom Kearney at Munson Hospital, Traverse City on Sunday.

Susan Bidvia left Sunday for Detroit to spend several weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Speight. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Welsh, who are enjoying a weeks vacation in the southern part of the state.

Jack Smith is spending ten days visiting Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Olin at Bear Lake near Manistee.

David Grant Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Peterson, was 5 years old on June 1st. That evening eighteen of his little friends came to his party to wish him a happy birthday. Games, ice cream and a birthday cake with five candles

Ward has been received of the birth of twins, a boy and a girl, to Mr. and Mrs. Anker Nelson of Detroit on May 26.

Two Fords came together at the corner of Michigan Avenue and Maple Street yesterday morning. One was driven by Wardle J. Primrose, chief mechanic at the Burke Garage and the other by Clement Blaine, high school student. The Blaine car was badly damaged having turned over a couple of times, however, Clement came out with a few scratches.

Mr. and Mrs. William Laurent (Mildred Sherman) are happy over the arrival of a son at their home Saturday, June 16.

The local A & P Store has been moved from Cedar Street to its new location in the building formerly occupied by the Peterson Grocery.

Charles Bradley, Pat McKay and County Clerk, Charles Gierke are driving new Essex Sedans, purchased from Corwin Auto Sales.

71 YEARS AGO
June 8, 1905

Dr. Wescott has broken ground for the basement of a residence on Cedar Street.

H. Peterson trotted out a fine new delivery wagon on the opening of his new store Saturday.

N. P. Olson is putting a new basement under his house with cement blocks and raising the roof on the east wing to two full stories.

The M.C.R.R. Co. has paved the two fronts of the passenger depot to the tracks with brick so the walks are now clean and free of sand.

"Men themselves are to blame for most of the faults women drivers display" says Mr. Churchill, general manager of the Buick Motors Co., and these faults are not great anyhow in Mr. Churchill's opinion.

Editor's Quote Book

"The superior man is divested by the limitations of his ability; he is not distressed by the fact that men do not recognize the ability that he has."

Confucius

THE BIBLE SPOKES

From Calvary Baptist Church

On Stealing

our society. We are being told that we must utilize the natural resources of America in a way to help the people, to give the rights of the individual and to give way to the right of the state or society or government. We are locked on one side by the socialists and on the other side by the capitalists. The socialists are trying to correct the abuses of the capitalist system. The capitalists are trying to correct the abuses of the socialist system. We appear to be in a very difficult position, trying to bring us closer and closer to the socialist way of life. People are being brainwashed by the socialists who oppose our system of government.

As people are rapidly losing their right for all kinds of personal ownership. They are more and more determined to "share" their possessions with others. People often do this because they believe they are doing the right thing.

On the other side, private ownership is a God-given right. This right is clearly explained throughout the whole of the commandments. "The thief did not steal." Ex. 20:15; Deut. 19:16; Matt. 19:18; Luke 18:20 and Rom. 13:9. Stealing is not only disrespects for others as their property, but it disrespects for God and His Word. The Bible makes it clear that thieves will not inherit the Kingdom of God. 1 Cor. 6:10.

District Court

The following persons appeared before Judge Francis Walsh, 83rd District Court, and plead guilty and were found guilty by a jury.

Michael G. Voelker, 21, Detroit, was charged with DUI and was fined \$144.00 or 14 days in jail.

Michael G. Brown, 19, Detroit, was charged as being a disorderly person in a public place and was fined \$64.00 or 4 days in jail.

Philip Melvyn Szczepkowski, 17, Detroit, was charged as being a disorderly person by intoxication in a public place and was fined \$4.00 or 4 days in jail.

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City Council Proceedings

Meeting Held on the 28th day of May A.D. 1974, Grayling, Mich.
The meeting was called to order by Mayor McEvers at 7:30 P.M.

Roll Call: Councilmen Present: Hanson, Palmer, McEvers. Councilmen Absent: Bovee, Golnick. Also in attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager, Allen V. Schreiner, City Treasurer, Melvin Nunn, Canfield, Michael Steiger, Bob Steiger, Victor Rice, Ed Macinowski, Ralph Sanders.

Moved by Mayor McEvers, supported by Councilmen Hanson that the minutes of the meetings of 5-13-74 and 5-13-20, be approved as presented. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2.

Several employees of Sherm and Sons, appeared to request help in obtaining their salary checks from their employer. Council informed them that there is nothing that the city can do, as problems between employer and employee are civil matter. They were advised by council to approach the problem through legal channels.

Communications were received from:
Michigan Chapter ICMA re: Summer Workshop.
E. Longworth re: Michigan National Guard Inquiry.
N.A.R.C. re: Minimum Wage Laws.

Michigan Liquor Control Commission re: Country Club Liquor License. Moved by McEvers, supported by Hanson that the Grayling Country Club Liquor License be approved for full year operations as requested. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2 Motion Carried.

The public hearing on the 1974-75 budget was declared open. Mr. Sanders requested information on the solid waste contract for the coming fiscal year. Mr. McEvers informed him that the contract will be advertised and bids taken. As of now, it is not possible to state what will be in the contract. Mr. Sanders also asked about the Industrial Park. Moved by Hanson, Supported by Palmer that the 1974-75 be adopted as presented. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2 Motion carried.

*Mr. Bovee was now present. Five more communications were read as follows:

Representative Bobby Crim re: HB 5967.
Representative George Montgomery re: HB 5967.
Harry Travis re: Annual MAR Conference.

M.M.L. re: State Building Code.

M.M.L. re: HB 5912.

The Revenue Sharing Planned Use Report was discussed.

Moved by Bovee, Supported by McEvers that fiscal 1974-75 Revenue Sharing Funds in amount of \$54,534 be committed to street improvements. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, Motion Carried.

Moved by McEvers Supported by Bovee that Parcel "A" discussion be tabled until Mr. Miles can be present. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, Motion Carried.

Moved by McEvers, supported by Hanson that the proposed lease between Crawford County and the City of Grayling for the City Garage facility be accepted as presented and forwarded to County for execution. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Motion Carried.

Moved by Bovee, supported by McEvers that the Water and Sewer rate discussion be tabled indefinitely. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, Motion Carried.

The summer sprinkling rate was discussed. Moved by Bovee, Supported by McEvers that the summer sprinkling rate be extended to all city residential customers for 1974. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, Motion Carried.

The I.M. Listening program was discussed.

Moved by Hanson, supported by Palmer that per diem be allowed for Mayor McEvers and Councilman Robert Golnick for NEMRP&DC Meeting May 10, 1974. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, Motion Carried. Moved by Bovee, Seconded by Palmer that per diem be allowed for McEvers for MML Meeting, May 15, 1974, and for Golnick for APWA Meeting May 23, 1974. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, Motion Carried.

Moved by Palmer, supported by Hanson that the amount of \$100.00 be donated to the petunia planting for 1974. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, Motion Carried.

Mr. Morford reported on the following: City-Township Fire Station progress. A recommendation will be made at the next council meeting.

Moved by Bovee, Seconded by Hanson that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, Motion Carried.

Meeting adjourned at 10:25 P.M.

Jerry W. Morford,
City Clerk and City Manager

Booster Club Minutes

Booster Club Meeting May 1, 1974.

Meeting called to order by Auman. Members absent: Worden, Hull. Guests present: Lon Quals, Hugh Wolfenberger, Larry Evans, Fred Reichelderfer, Jim Peiton, Al Vissia, Frazer Dean, Bill Moody and Harold Barker.

Minutes and financial report accepted as read.

Summer Booster Jackets to be shipped May 7th. Motion by McIsaac supported by Chapp that \$11.00 be charged for these jackets due to increase in cost by shipper. Motion carried.

Frazer Dean and Al Vissia explained summer basketball program. School will put in \$600.00 and they need \$600.00 more to finance this program. Motion by Gene Kaiser supported by Ken Montague that Booster Club put up the other \$600.00. Motion carried.

This program will work out so it does not interfere with Senior and Little League baseball this summer.

Harold Barker from Frederic explained needs for the Boy Scouts in Frederic. Dick Auman will see about getting pup tents for these boys.

Dick Auman explained 4th of July day. Motion by Evans supported by Fornell that Booster Club support this program again. Motion carried.

Motion by McIsaac supported by McEvers that Booster Club car wash will be at South End Total May 25th. Motion carried.

Being no further business it was moved we adjourn.

Gene Kaiser, Sec. & Treas.

your week ahead BY DR. A.W. DENNIS

Forecast Period: June 9 to June 15

ARIES
Mar. 21 - Apr. 19

Well now, there's a little more going on in your mind than meets the eye! Bluntly, your attitude toward the opposite sex will be — aggressive!

TAURUS
Apr. 20 - May 20

Most members of your sign could be preoccupied with much, too much, self pity! One other thing. You're becoming part of someone else's feed.

CEMINT
May 21 - June 20

According to your chart, you could be heading toward a few financial problems. Name one? Spending too much money on a pet project or hobby.

MOONCHILD
June 21 - July 22

This week will find you in one of those rare moods of stepping out of character. It's highly probable that you'll have the urge to join a group or organization.

LEO
July 23 - Aug. 22

It's "damn the torpedoes, full speed ahead!" Should you compromise this week... you will concede far beyond what you intend! So, stick to your guns.

VIRGO
Aug. 23 - Sept. 22

Sorry to say, you are undergoing a bad case of centering everything around yourself. Also, a member of the opposite sex will attempt to cross your wires.

LIBRA
Sept. 23 - Oct. 22

This week, you will attempt to make a "little white lie" function as well as the truth. There's one qualification, however, you must have a good memory!

SCORPIO
Oct. 23 - Nov. 21

From time to time, you question your ability to make a favorable decision. Well, that won't be the case, this week. Your reasoning powers are at a peak.

SAGITTARIUS
Nov. 22 - Dec. 21

Most members of your sign will receive help from an unexpected source. There's one problem, however... strings might be attached.

CAPRICORN
Dec. 22 - Jan. 19

Getting to the point, prepare for a week of delays, postponements and untimely interruptions. Make no promises that you knowingly cannot fulfill.

AQUARIUS
Jan. 20 - Feb. 18

Associates or co-workers will contribute to your betterment. Actually, during this particular cosmic cycle, you should work at improving your popularity with routine associates.

PISCES
Feb. 19 - Mar. 20

You are entering a favorable period of being highly persuasive, among your associates. One problem, however, a member of the opposite sex won't be convinced easily.

PERSONALITY PROFILE

For your Sun Sign Analysis, send the day, month, year and place of birth, plus \$1.00 for postage and handling to Dr. Andrew W. Dennis, P. O. Box 12766, St. Petersburg, Florida 33733.

6 Crawford County Avalanche

Thursday, June 6, 1974

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June 10, 1974

[Tax Rate Limitation Increase Proposition To Be Earmarked For County-Wide Land Fill Purposes]

Shall the Township Board of Lovells Township, Crawford County, Michigan add one [1] Mill per \$1000.00 assessed valuation to their assessment roll for the purpose of participating in a county-wide land fill for the benefit and use of residents of Lovells Township?

Evelyn Bates,
Twp. Clerk

ALMANACK

Richard Milliman



State eyes control over local courts

Move over counties; here comes the state.

A well prepared plan for the state of Michigan to take over operation and financing of local courts is off and running.

The first step will be for the state to assume direct jurisdiction over the district court system. Legislation to that effect is under consideration in Lansing this year, promoted by the State Supreme Court under Chief Justice Thomas M. Kavanagh.

Then, just as sure as New Year's follows Christmas, the further steps in future years will be for the state to assume control and direction over both the circuit court system, and the probate court system.

The state will pay the bills, and the state will give the directions.

Frankly, it seems like a pretty good idea to me.

Justice Kavanagh has been talking about state operation of local courts for several years. State control actually is in partial effect right now, with the state setting certain minimums in the way of judicial pay and other standards.

But the Kavanagh proposal will go even further. All the way with T.M.K.

The first goal is the district court system. The basic reason is that this can be accomplished by a law passed by the legislature. The district court system was established in the 1963 state constitution.

What the legislature establishes, the legislature can change; that's the main reason district courts will be first.

The circuit courts and probate courts, however, are specifically established by the state constitution. Basic changes in how these courts would operate would have to be approved by the voters in adopting constitutional amendments.

These amendments would come, most likely, after a few years of state operation of the district court system. The kinks should be ironed out by then; constitutional changes once adopted would be final.

The biggest advantage of the Kavanagh plan, in my opinion, is that it would help to establish statewide standards of justice. Under the uniform district court system, you should get the same treatment if arrested for drunken driving in Eaton county that you would get in Livingston county. At present, details of treatment and procedure might vary a bit.

Then there's another favorable part of the program, preceded by dollar signs. In most counties, the largest share of county revenue by

far goes for law and its enforcement—sheriffs, prosecutors and courts. Of the three, courts probably have grown the fastest and the furthest when measured by how far the local taxpayers' dollars can be stretched.

The Kavanagh plan would provide that the state would finance courts. Court employees would be state employees; witness fees, jury fees, equipment, attorney fees for indigents, and all the rest would come from the state treasury.

In turn, income from the district court which presently goes into county treasuries, partly to help pay for the court in the first place, would go to the state instead. At present, court costs go to the county, while fines generally go for local library purposes under a somewhat strange mixture of crime and culture.

In most versions of the statewide court plan, the state also would pay rent to counties for use of court facilities; by the same token, the state we assume would demand that court facilities meet certain minimum standards—standards which generally would be above those now provided in many areas.

In most counties, the costs of providing district courts exceed the income the county derives from running the court, so there would be an immediate apparent net saving to the county taxpayers.

This would not be a genuine saving, however, because the taxpayer who coughs up the bounty to run county governments—which would be paying less for justice—is the same taxpayer who coughs up the dough to run the state, which would be picking up the tab.

In addition, there's the ruboff factor. District court employees would be state employees, although they'd be working side-by-side and in the same buildings with county employees. Generally state employees receive higher pay and better fringes than county employees; the ruboff in higher employee costs in most counties could be expected practically forthwith.

The biggest drawbacks to the court plan appear to be in the loss of local control over yet another basic institution of government; the moment some function goes to Lansing or Washington when it once was handled at the city hall or the courthouse, the more costly it becomes, and, most importantly, the more difficult it gets for the local citizen to control. That's a real disadvantage.

With all the pros and cons, it appears to me at this time that the Kavanagh plan for district courts deserves a real chance.

Airman Graduate

Miss. — Airman Wade B. Gee, son of retired Air Force Colonel and Mrs. James G. Farley of 6195 Cedar Road, Grayling, has graduated at Keesler AFB, Miss., from the U.S. Air Force radio equipment repairman course conducted by the Air Training Command.

The airman, who was trained to install and repair special radio equipment, is being assigned to Griffiss AFB, N.Y., for duty with a unit of the Air Force Logistics Command.

Airman Gee is a 1973 graduate of Grayling High School.

Notice To Bidders

The Roscommon County Board of Commissioners will accept bids on the following:

1971, 8 cylinder GMC Pick-Up Truck. Truck can be seen at the Sheriff's Dept. Please send bids to Robert W. Smith, County Clerk, Roscommon, MI 48653, no later than 5:00 p.m., Monday, June 10, 1974. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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X Jerome M. Weinberg

Jerome M. Weinberg has served on the Board of Trustees of Kirtland Community College for the past seven years. Weinberg was chairman of the Kirtland Community College Board of Trustees for one year.

His academic background includes the Detroit Business University where he was awarded a Bachelor of Account's degree. Weinberg also attended the Graduate School of Harvard University, studying in the field of statistics.

He is the owner of the West Branch Steel Company.

He was a member of the West Branch Board of Education and is currently a member of the Kirtland Community College Board of Trustees.

He has served the West Branch Country Club as a board member and as secretary, treasurer and president.

A veteran of World War II, Weinberg enlisted as a private in 1941, before the outbreak of hostilities. In 1942 he attended Officers Candidate School. In 1944 Weinberg attained the rank of major. He saw five years of active duty, with two years overseas. Following the war, he served six years in the Reserves. Jerome M. Weinberg is married and has three children.



X Robert F. Bovee

Robert F. Bovee's extensive academic background serves him well as a member of the Board of Trustees of Kirtland Community College. A graduate of Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, Bovee has also attended Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, University of Michigan, Michigan State University, Ferris State College and Stanford University.

He has worked for the Crawford AuSable School District for twenty-five years in various capacities which included teaching math, counselor, director of guidance and as chief examiner for the General Educational Development Test Center.

Bovee has been a member of the Grayling Kiwanis Club for twenty-three years and has served his club as secretary, vice president, president and as Lt. Governor of the Michigan District. He is also active in the Michigan and American Personnel and Guidance Associations. Bovee is currently president of the Northeast Michigan Personnel and Guidance Association.

A member of the Grayling City Council for seven years, he also served as an advisor to resistants of the Selective Service System.

Bovee is married and has two daughters. Mrs. Bovee presently teaches a Fifth Grade class.



X Charles L. Oppy, M.D.

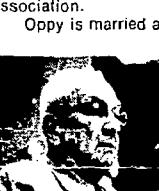
Charles L. Oppy, M.D. is a veteran member of the Board of Trustees of Kirtland Community College, having served on the board since the inception of the college. He has practiced medicine in Roscommon for twenty years.

He was awarded the degree of Bachelor of Science from the University of Cincinnati and earned his Doctor of Medicine degree from the same university.

Active in community affairs, Oppy serves as Chief of Staff at Mercy Hospital, Grayling; Chief Medical Examiner, Roscommon County; Medical Advisor to the Roscommon County Council on Aging and is Medical Advisor to the Roscommon County Chapter of the Cancer Society.

Other activities include, Member of House of Delegates of Michigan State Medical Society. He was named Doctor of the Week by the Michigan State Legislature. Membership in medical groups include the North Central Counties Medical Society, the Michigan State Medical Society and the American Medical Association.

Oppy is married and has four children, all graduates of Roscommon High School.



X Rodney Saxton

H. Rodney Saxton is retired after an active life in the engineering and electronics field. Although retired from the business world his interest in community endeavors remains a challenge, as his activities on behalf of Kirtland Community College testifies.

In recent years Saxton has not only been active as a member of the Board of Trustees of Kirtland Community College, he has also served on the Roscommon County Planning Commission, as a Trustee on the Gerrish Township Board and as Executive Secretary to the Higgins Lake Property Owners Association.

Academic background includes his attendance at Detroit Cass Technical School where he studied engineering, math, drawing and basic electricity.

Once in the business world his studies and interest placed him in many supervisory and management roles with Western Electric Company, Kelvinator Corporation and Michigan Bell Telephone Company.

In 1955 he was retained as a consultant for the General Telephone Company and supervised the engineering and installation of the local Skyline Switching center for United States government communications.

He was advanced to the rank of captain during World War II as a specialist in electronic cryptography.



X Steven Such

Steven Such, a current trustee of Kirtland Community College, is a 26 year resident of Roscommon, a Registered Professional Engineer, a former toolmaker, and an ex-Marine.

His academic background includes schooling at the Ford Apparatus and Engineering Schools, at Occidental College, the University of Southern California, and the University of Michigan where he received his B.S. degree in Mechanical Engineering.

His professional career has been centered mainly in the area of Research and Development for the Department of Natural Resources and he is presently in charge of this activity at the Michigan Forest Fire Experiment Station.

Mr. Such's honor credits include publication of numerous technical papers, a National citation for outstanding achievement in Forest Fire Control, a recent election to Who's Who in Michigan for 1974-75. He is a member of the Michigan and the National Society of Professional Engineers and of the Michigan Association of the Professions.

The Such's have three children, two of whom are currently attending college. Steve's wife, Kathryn, a Registered Medical Technologist, is employed on a part-time basis at the Tolfree Memorial Hospital in West Branch.

In regard to Kirtland Community College, Steve says: "My principal interest is to help the college grow along natural lines for the betterment and the general welfare of all the people of the area."

Why Should You Vote To Retain The Present Five Members Of Kirtland Community College's Board Of Trustees Standing For Re-Election?

In the past three years, for example, a nursing program and a child care program were instituted. The automotive service program and the aviation maintenance and service programs were greatly enlarged.

Your Board of Trustees believe the above instructional areas offer a high degree of job placement opportunity for the student upon completion of the course of study.

An athletic field was added to the facilities of the College. This action is in line with the Board of Trustees' and the Administration's effort to consistently improve the recreational as well as the academic and vocational facilities of the College.

Instruction programs were inaugurated at both Cadillac and East Tawas, to further acquaint individuals in these areas with the opportunities available at Kirtland Community College.

These off-campus endeavors have been instrumental in enrollments from these "outside" areas. This phase of student enrollment has given the College a higher overall rate of tuition as well as additional state funding. Quality of instruction has won, for our students, the privilege of transferring credits to four year state colleges and universities.

With an increase of student enrollment last year of 20%, Kirtland Community College was adjudged the fastest growing college in Michigan. This amazing growth of enrollment is proof of student confidence in the course of instruction and the administration of the College.

It must be remembered that most colleges in the state saw a reduced student enrollment last year and only a few witnessed any appreciable gain.

The Prison Camp college instructional program recently inaugurated, has been a success. This is the first of its kind in Michigan.

The administration and the Board of Trustees of Kirtland Community College are proud to have pioneered this program within the state prison system. Funding, of course, is at the state's expense.

Operational ability on the part of the Administration and the Board of Trustees can be summed up by stating three important facts:

1. The four county area, Crawford, Ogemaw, Oscoda, and Roscommon, boasts the lowest assessed tax for the operation of a community college possible under state law.
2. The College maintains the lowest tuition rate permitted by the state.
3. Fiscal responsibility of the Administration and Board is seen in a balanced budget successfully maintained the past three years.

While taxes and tuition have been kept to a minimum and a balanced budget maintained, additional courses of instruction have been added and facilities have been constantly improved.

It must be remembered, a Trustee receives no reimbursement for the services he renders.

There can be only two obvious reasons for anyone aspiring to a non-paying board of trustee position. The first consideration, of course, is a desire on the part of the individual to be of service to his community area. The second reason is to obtain certain considerations favorable to a group or organization.

The record clearly shows, the five Trustees seeking your support have only the interests of all the people of the four county area in mind. Their's is a dedication to service to ALL the people.

VOTE JUNE 10, 1974/BOARD OF TRUSTEES/KIRTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

(Paid Pol. Adv.)

Editor's Mailbox

To the Editor:

Just recently I learned quite by accident that a new Clerk, Trustee, and Constable had been appointed for South Branch Township. I also noted that there had been no public announcement that there were any vacancies or any intentions of filling such vacancies. There was a registration notice in the May 16, issue of the Roscommon Herald News stating Lois Murphy would be at her home on Steckert Bridge Road May 20 thru May 24 and May 28 as the last day of registration for the purpose of registration and in fact she had moved out of the Township sometime during the week of May 20. Just how was anyone supposed to know where to register? I also noted that the persons appointed either lived on Steckert Bridge Road or within a mile or so of it, which makes all of the Township Board with the exception of one Trustee living within that small area. It certainly is not a fair representation of the Township, when the Township is as large as it is. I am sure there are residents in other parts of the Township who are just as well qualified to fill Township Offices and appointments to the Election Board.

It is my firm belief that when any Public Official leaves office there should be a public notice stating that fact and when it is to become effective, also that an appointment will be made at a specified time, if it is to be done that way, so any interested party or parties have a chance if they are interested in the position.

All the voters and taxpayers are entitled to know what is being done and why.

As a voter and resident of South Branch Township for 42 years, and a taxpayer for 38 years, I feel it is my duty to make other voters and taxpay-

ers aware of such things as vacancies on the Township Board are being filled by appointment.

Are the people who live on dirt roads in Crawford County going to be smothered in dust all summer? Memorial weekend was terrible. WE pay taxes just as well as those who live on the paved roads. Salt water is certainly not as expensive as pavement.

Sincerely,

Georgia Royce
4311 Beverly Drive
Allegan, Pa. 15031
May 25, 1974

Dear Editor:

I would like to thank Kirtland Community College for making their educational program available to me, as an out of state student. I believe that the quality of my education from the aviation maintenance technology program was excellent.

Instructor, Martin Bohn excelled in his area of specialization and a close rapport existed between instructor and students. Since I was a member of the first aviation maintenance graduating class, I have watched the program grow and it is still growing.

As for job placement, I encountered no problems. I will be employed by Air Flite, Tri-City Airport ten days after my graduation.

Finally, I wish to express sincere thanks to Kirtland's administration, faculty, and community members, including fellow students for making my past two years pleasant and memorable, as well as educationally rewarding.

Sincerely,
Timothy J. Brown

Be Careful!
That gorgeous blonde has some-
thing that will knock your eye
out — her husband's fix!

May 31, 1974

To the editor:

The Faculty Association of Kirtland Community College would like to take this opportunity to respond to certain statements made by the five incumbent Board of Trustee members who are seeking re-election on June 10. These statements appeared as a letter to the editor of the Crawford County Avalanche dated May 7, 1974 and in a recent news release to the Ogemaw County Herald. The statements that the Faculty Association would like to take issue with are contained in the following quotations from the incumbents' letter to the editor.

"Further the taxpayers should note that this is a negotiation year with the faculty. The present board has displayed firmness in negotiations with the faculty to protect the taxpayer. The Kirtland Community College faculty is giving time and money to support candidates in opposition to the incumbents in opposition to the incumbents' letter to the editor.

The faculty feels that it is very unfortunate that the incumbents would question the integrity of its own faculty in order to exploit the community's fears about collective bargaining. This utter lack of respect or regard for the faculty and the community speaks for itself. To date the faculty has yet to receive a single reply or acknowledgement to the letters of concern that the faculty has presented to the board from time to time.

A faculty letter, when introduced to the board, is read by a member and without further discussion, the next item on the agenda is introduced.

Let us examine the incumbents' statement that the non-incumbents would be indebted to our Association. This assumes that the faculty is attempting to buy influence and ignore the fact that the Association is willing to listen to any candidate who will speak to its membership about his program. With this in mind, the faculty and students co-sponsored an open meeting, "Meet the Candidates Night" at the College, at which NONE of the incumbents showed up. As of this writing, three non-incumbents have spoken to the Faculty Association and these three have received some financial help.

It's a shame that the incumbents regard the faculty with suspicion and lack of respect, when in fact, the faculty is one of the College's most important resources. We also regret the fact that in answering the incumbents' charges, we have had to even mention an issue as phony as collective bargaining.

Sincerely,
Paul Durbin, President
Faculty Association
Kirtland Community College

May 23, 1974

Dear Editor,

I have recently read a letter apparently written by one or more of the present members of the Board of Trustees of Kirtland Community College - a letter in which these members are trying to defend their past record at the college against various "allegations" they claim have been made against them by "political" candidates, myself among others. However, I'm sorry to say that as I read through their letter I couldn't find any allegation (or even any answer to some supposed allegation) that is even remotely connected to the very specific complaints that I have made against the present Board members: that they have understaffed the college with instructors but vastly overstaffed it with administrators, that they have spent far too little of their budget on actual instruction and way too much of our money on their own support staff, that they have foolishly wasted large sums of money on a project which has had absolutely no educational value whatsoever, that they have consistently, and often arrogantly, refused to even consider student and faculty needs, whenever they have become aware of them, and lastly, that they alone have been responsible for creating the present atmosphere at Kirtland, a state of such mistrust and dissatisfaction with what is going on at the college that even the most simple kind of co-operation between the students, the faculty and the administration has become just about impossible. These are the "allegations" that I have made, and frankly, I can find no mention of them in their letter.

Detmar H. Finke,
Candidate for six-year term
P.S. Incidentally, for those of you who asked, I did not lose my court dispute with the college. Frankly, the case was starting to cost me, and the college, so much in lawyers' fees that I just dropped it.

CARD OF THANKS

The Brothers and Sisters of Wilson Gierke would like to thank friends, neighbors, and relatives for gifts, cards and letters while he was a patient at Veterans Administration Hospital, Saginaw.

But I suppose I shouldn't be

Barbara Blaine

Annual School Election

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF CRAWFORD-AUSABLE SCHOOL DISTRICT, CRAWFORD, OTSEGO, AND KALKASKA COUNTIES, MICHIGAN.

TO BE HELD JUNE 10, 1974

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please take Notice that the Annual Election of the qualified electors of said School District will be held on Monday, June 10, 1974, in said School District.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.

At said Annual Election there will be elected two [2] Members to the Board of Education of said district for full terms of four [4] years ending in 1978.

the following persons have been nominated to fill such vacancies:

David E. Wyman

James W. Duley

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the following proposition(s) will be submitted to the vote of the electors qualified to vote thereon at said annual election.

TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR OPERATING PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Crawford-Ausable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, be increased by one and one-half (1 1/2) mills for a period of two (2) years, 1974 and 1975, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes?

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the regular Biennial Election of COOR Intermediate School District, Michigan, will be held at the same time and at the same voting places as the annual school election on Monday, June 10, 1974, and will be conducted by the same school officials for those electors of the intermediate school district residing in this school district. At said Regular Biennial Election there will be elected:

two [2] members at large to the Board of Education of COOR Intermediate School District for full terms of six [6] years ending June 30, 1980;

one [1] member at large to the Board of Education of COOR Intermediate School District for an unexpired term of two [2] years ending June 30, 1976; and

one [1] member at large to the Board of Education of COOR Intermediate School District for an unexpired term of four [4] years ending June 30, 1978.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

COOR Intermediate School District
Six Year Terms at Large

COOR Intermediate School District
Four Year Term at Large

COOR Intermediate School District
Two Year Term at Large

James Rutledge
Ray Swartzendruber

Norman Caidwell

Thomas Hazen

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the Regular Biennial Election of Kirtland Community College, Michigan, will be held at the same time and at the same voting places as the annual school election on Monday, June 10, 1974, and will be conducted by the same school officials for those electors of the community college district residing in this school district. At said Regular Biennial Election there will be elected:

three [3] members for the office of Community College District Trustee for full terms of six [6] years ending June 30, 1980;

one [1] member for the office of Community College District Trustee for an unexpired term of two [2] years ending June 30, 1976; and

one [1] member for the office of Community College District Trustee for an unexpired term of four [4] years ending June 30, 1978.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

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FOUR YEAR TERM

KIRTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE
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Robert F. Tupper
Gregory K. Sullivan
Jerome M. Weinberg
Detmar H. Finke

Ray Charrette
Steven Such

Helen Cavadia
H. Rodney Saxton
Don M. Lance

I, Joseph V. Wakeley, Treasurer of Crawford County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of April 23, 1974, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford - Ausable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, is as follows:
By Crawford County: 1.2 mills Debt Service
By Beaver Creek Township: NONE
By Grayling Township: NONE
By Frederic Township: 2.00 Mills Voted (Fire tax)

By Lovells Township: NONE
By Maple Forest Township: NONE
By the School District: 1.00 Voted Mills School; 4.70 Voted debt service

1.00 Voted Mills, Kirtland Community College
.40 Voted Mills, Kirtland Community College, debt service, 20 yrs.
.75 Voted Mills COOR Intermediate School District, Special Education, No limit.

JOSEPH V. WAKELEY
Treasurer, Crawford Cnty., Mi.

I, Robert A. Pray, Treasurer of Otsego County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of April 17, 1974, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford - Ausable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, is as follows:
By Otsego County: NONE
By Otsego Lake Township: NONE
By the School District: Five Mills 1971-1975 — Six Mills 1973-1977

ROBERT A. PRAY
Treasurer, Otsego Cnty., Mi.

I, Gladys Cross, Treasurer of Kalkaska County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of April 17, 1974, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Crawford - Ausable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, is as follows:
By Kalkaska County: NONE
By Bear Lake Township: NONE
By the School District: Five Mills 1971-1975 — Six Mills 1973-1977

GLADYS CROSS
Treasurer, Kalkaska Cnty., Mi.

THE VOTING PLACES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

PRECINCT NO. 1

Voting Place — Gymnasium of the Middle School Building, in the City of Grayling, Michigan. The first precinct consists of all the territory of the former Grayling Public Schools.

PRECINCT NO. 2

Voting Place — Gymnasium Frederic Elementary School. The second precinct consists of the territory of the former Frederic Community School. (All of the territory except Lovells Township).

PRECINCT NO. 3

Voting Place — The Lovells Township. The third precinct consists of the rest of the territory of the former Frederic Community School. (Namely Lovells Township, only).

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

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GWEN JOHNSON
Secretary, Board of Education

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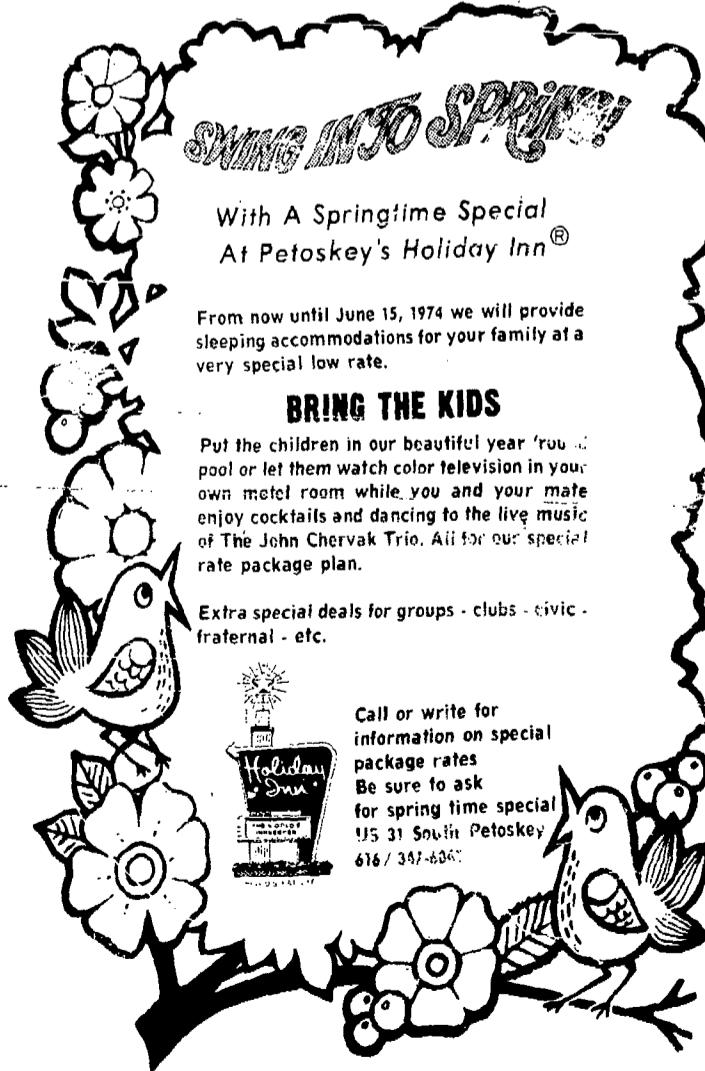
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616 / 347-6061**Frederic Elementary School Science Fair**

BLUE RIBBON WINNERS—Back row, from left, Robert Bruns, Gordie Cox, Todd Dunckley, George Bindschadler, George Kesby. Front row, from left, Kathy Newberry, Todd Gabriel, Julie Durga.



Frederic Science Fair ribbon winners.

GRAND PRIZE WINNER
Todd Dunckley**Graduates**

Spring graduation ceremonies have resulted in the awarding of degrees at various levels of education for three members of the Leonard H. Knibbs family.

On May 11, James F. Knibbs received a bachelor of science degree in psychology from Central Michigan University. Linda G. Knibbs earned a master of arts degree in political science during May 19 ceremonies at the Urbana-Champaign Campus of the University of Illinois. She has been accepted as a doctoral candidate in political science at the U of I and will continue her studies there this summer.

Holly A. Knibbs will graduate from Grayling High School on June 7. In the fall she will attend Michigan State University as a student in the Justin Morrill College, majoring in theatre. Holly has received a State of Michigan Competitive Scholarship, a Michigan State University Honors Scholarship, and a Creative Arts scholarship from the MSU Department of Theatre.

A fungus collection, history of the tree, an electro-magnetic crane, ceramics, and an insect collection beautifully displayed in natural setting. Sound like a Science Fair? You guessed it!

Frederic Elementary School held its first Science Fair for children in grades four, five, and six last Wednesday afternoon, May 29, 1974. The project was originally started by Mrs. William Boehme, sixth grade teacher for the students in her class. Later Mrs. Boehme and Mr. John Skoglund, Principal, enlarged the project to include the entire upper elementary.

Students were given two main categories under which projects could be submitted. All work had to be done by the student.

After many weeks of work and long hours of anxious anticipation, all projects were brought in on Wednesday and the judges were asked to identify the winning selections on the following merits: originality, neatness, amount of work involved, workmanship and explanation for projects. Judges were: Vi Middleton, parent; Fraser Dean, Superintendent of Schools; Carol Batway, Frederic Elementary teacher; Jim Madill, School Board member; and Dave Hawkins, Grayling Middle school teacher.

Judges selected, after careful deliberation, a project involving written and visual explanations of the human brain—including a physical "mock up." Sixth grade student, Todd Dunckley was awarded Grand Prize and a trophy for this entry. First, second, and third place ribbons were given to the following students for their entries in the areas listed below:

Biological Science — Grand Prize, Todd Dunckley; First Place, Kathy Newberry.

Natural Science — First Place, Julie Durga; Second Place, Barb Osga and Kim Thompson; Third place, Edith Geot and Burt Partello.

Physical Science — First Place, George Kesby; Second Place, Alan Irton; Third Place, Cheryl Lozon.

Art — First Place, George Bindschadler; Second Place, Scott Dunckley; Third Place, Cindy Ruskoskey and Brenda Gabriel.

Woodwork — First Place, Todd Gabriel; Second Place, Kenny Cox; Third Place, Jerry Pratt.

Sculpture and Needle Work — First Place, Gordie Cox; Second Place, Beth Press; Third Place, Keith Thompson.

Photography — First Place, Philip Strouse.

The entire fair was opened to the public for viewing on Thursday evening, May 30, 1974, from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Prize winners were identified by ribbons during the open house.

Parents and students deserve a hearty "thank you" for their efforts in making this Science Fair successful.

Driving Her Crazy?
She thinks her husband is driving her crazy. It seems he can never remember her birthday, but he always knows her age.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank all the teachers, chaperones and the bus drivers who went with us to Greenfield Village and made it a very pleasant trip. We all had lots of fun.

Michelle Bannister

A sixth grade student

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Thursday, June 6, 1974

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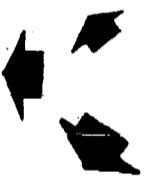
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Janice Lavrack, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lavrack of 709 Park St., Grayling, became the bride of Rick Vanderwilt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Vanderwilt, 302 Palmer N.E., Grand Rapids, on Saturday, May 18, at 2:30 p.m. at the Grayling Free Methodist Church. Two large flower baskets and a kneeling bench entwined with flowers and vines were the floral decorations at the church.

Pastor Robert Barnett performed the ceremony before 160 guests. Merrie Mulder of Grand Rapids was the organist. Lois Huseby of Wausau, Wisconsin was soloist and presented the selections "It seems I've Always Loved You" and "All Our Lives."

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of nylon taffeta with white applique roses on the skirt. Her gown had a scoop neck line, appliqued and beaded bodice and long, fitted sleeves with a chapel train. Her veil of bridal illusion was attached to a beaded crown and she carried a bouquet of blue lilies of the valley, white baby's breath, tiny yellow and deep pink stemmed flowers, and white roses with white streamers entwined with ivy.

Miss Shanon Waeckerly, cousin of the bride, of Bay City, was maid of Honor and Miss Patt Kinney, the groom's sister, of Grand Rapids, and Miss Diane Lavrack, cousin of the bride, of Linwood, were bridesmaids. Michelle Lavrack, second cousin of the bride, of Linwood, was the flower girl. Their dresses were powder blue with flowered print on white and were floor length. Each girl carried a flower basket.

Orland Lavrack, of Linwood, the bride's cousin, was best man, ring bearer was Chris Kinney, nephew of the groom, and groomsmen were Doug Brothers & Sisters of Wilson Gierke

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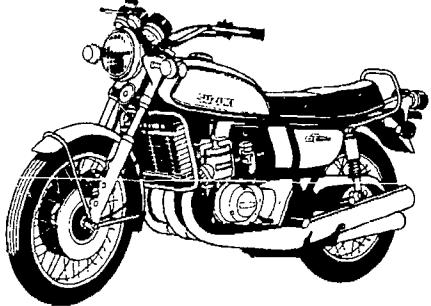


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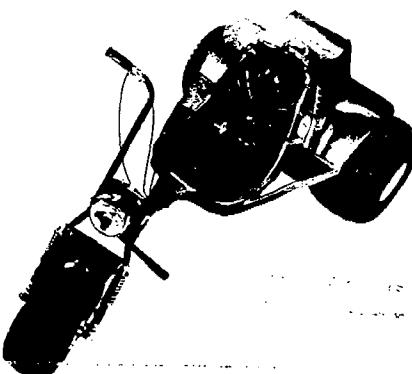
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Prizes were given to Mamie Straehly & Madeline Fleming for the two Grandma's who each have 45 Grandchildren.

Johanna Gorman won the prize for being the Grandma present who was born and had lived her entire life in Crawford County.

Olive Lewis won the prize for being the oldest Grandma present. Olive will be 92 in June and canes chairs and walks up town from Ausagra Acres where she lives.

A grand time was had by all and the staff, Betty Smith, Joan Woodman, Connie Vaughn & Genevieve Hill served and were hostesses. The Dining Room and tables were beautifully decorated by the Craft Department headed by Genevieve Hill.

By Lora Gould, Director.

Mugged Martian

Have you heard about the Martian who landed one night in the middle of Central Park in New York City? He got out of his flying saucer and just as he was about to say: "Take me to your leader" — someone mugged him.

Caddies or Carts?

It is interesting the way carts have replaced caddies on many golf courses. There are three big advantages to using the carts, however. They don't cost, they don't criticize, and they don't count.

Sincerely Yours,
Dave Runyan Jr.

Illinois Fly Tyers Club to Fish AuSable

On Thursday, June 6th, the members of the Northern Illinois Fly Tyers will congregate on the hallowed shores of the fabled AuSable River in Michigan to try to prove once and for all that a person equipped with the latest fishing tackle that modern technology can produce can subdue native trout with pea-sized brains. They will be here Thursday to Sunday, with three members staying over until Monday.

The group will be staying at the Henderson Lodge, about 15 miles east of Grayling, with host and hostess Mr. and Mrs. John Cox.

Bowling

Thursday Night Mixed

1. Kathy's	7
2. Woodpeckers	6
3. Hi Balls	5
4. Double Trouble	4
5. 4-Speeds	4
6. 4-Blanks	4
7. WGRY Bloppers	2
8. J & W	0

High Series Women: E. Helsel; 506, P. Thayer; 458, G. Schofield; 455.

High Game Women: E. Helsel; 178, S. Bajor; 173, O. Dawson; 163.

High Series Men: H. King; 573, P. Faustman; 510, J. Helsel; 489, K. Helsel; 489, O. Anglemeyer; 489.

High Game Men: P. Faustman; 211, H. King; 207, K. Helsel; 186.

Summer Mixed League

1. Jiggle Jaggies 7

2. Water Gators 6

3. Team 7 5

4. Duds 5

5. 4 Nutts 5

6. In-Laws 2

7. Pinball Wizards 2

8. What Ever 0

Team High Series: Water Gators; 2046, Duds; 2003, Jiggle Jaggies; 1898.

Team High Game: Water Gators; 716, Duds; 703, Jiggle Jaggies; 646.

High Series Women: J. Yoder; 525, A. Moore; 498, A. Latusek; 461.

High Game Women: J. Yoder; 207, A. Moore; 184, A. Latusek; Maggie LaMotte; 174.

High Series Men: E. Balch; 610, D. Kohnert; 531, T. Proud; 528.

High Game Men: E. Balch; 211-222, T. Proud; 203, D. Kohnert; 193.

Alice Moore bowled an all

spare game.

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FOR A CHANGE AT KIRTLAND

GREGORY K. SULLIVAN

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WHY CAN'T KIRTLAND AND THE COOR INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT WORK IN COOPERATION INSTEAD OF CONFLICT?
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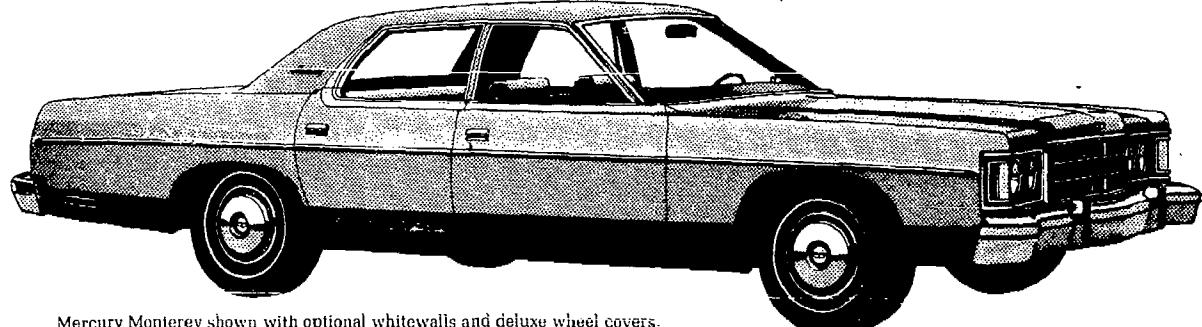
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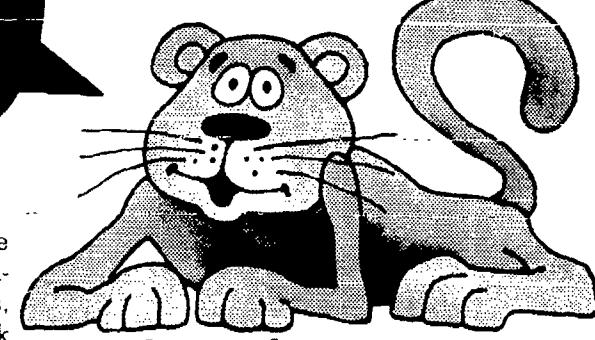
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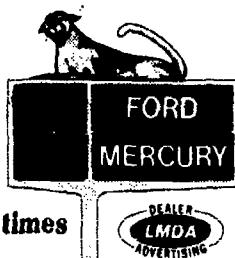
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B.J. FOWLER, Supervisor 5-29-74
Name & Title—Please Print Date

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3 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	\$	\$
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6 LIBRARIES	\$	\$
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10 EDUCATION	\$	
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15 TOTALS	\$ 2,913	\$

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Harold M. Miles
Treasurer Supervisor 5/23/74
Name & Title—Please Print Date

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1 PUBLIC SAFETY	\$	\$
2 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION	\$	\$
3 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	\$ 54,534	\$
4 HEALTH	\$	\$
5 RECREATION	\$	\$
6 LIBRARIES	\$	\$
7 SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AGED OR POOR	\$	\$
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13 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$	
14 OTHER (Specify)	\$	
15 TOTALS	\$ 54,534	\$

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Derek E. McEvers
Signature of Chief Executive Officer
Derek E. McEvers, Mayor 5/27/74
Name & Title—Please Print Date

Road Commissioners Minutes

May 17, 1974

A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling, Chairman Richter presiding. Members present Commissioners Ervin E. Richter, Harold T. Johnson and Lawrence Mattis, with Superintendent Norman H. Feldhauser substituting for Engineer Manager John M. Kefel.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read. A motion was made by Comm. Johnson, supported by Comm. Mattis that the minutes be approved. All voted in favor, motion carried.

A discussion was held on various road and maintenance problems throughout the County.

Following the business meeting the Commissioners and Superintendent Feldhauser made a trip of inspection over newly paved areas of Stephan Bridge Road and Pioneer Road and over Military Road, Old 27 and Old 76-18. Upon returning to their offices a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor motion carried, meeting adjourned.

/s/Ervin E. Richter, Chairman

/s/Florence S. Douglas, Secretary

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Estate of Edith L. Hartman,
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It is Ordered that on June 14, 1974, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of William F. Lauric, Executor of the estate of Edith L. Hartman, for allowance of first and final account.

Dated: May 22, 1974
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IF IT FITZ

Jim Fitzgerald



Priest wears wrong garments

It is splendid that President Nixon has his own private priest to part the red sea of acrimony which is floating the desks in the Oval Office.

The Rev John McLaughlin, a Jesuit priest, is also a full-time presidential aide with an office in the White House. This has not been a good season for presidential aides, what with indictments and jail terms and forced resignations. It was clever of Nixon to bring in a man of God to restore some dignity and credibility to the presidential team. Father McLaughlin is obviously doing a good job, even if he was a 3rd choice behind Norman Vincent Peale and Danny Thomas.

But I think Father McLaughlin is making a mistake by never wearing his Roman collar when he appears on TV in a Nixon commercial. He dresses the same as every other sincere spokesman, with a striped tie and conservative suit. He might as well be giving one of those aspirin lectures.

If I were writing the McLaughlin scenario, I would dress him something like St. Francis of Assisi. The long, horsehair cassock with rope belt would underscore the absence of vicuna coats in the Nixon administration. The long staff would be fine for shepherding newsmen and keeping Dan Rather from testing the authenticity of the hair. And the pigeons of peace, one on each shoulder, would speak for themselves. If need be, they could speak for themselves all over the newsmen.

Can't you just see it now on the White House lawn? Wow. Dressed like that, Father McLaughlin could

sell a used car while Nixon was still fiddling with the odometer.

I'm all for Father McLaughlin and his political parish. I have to be. Remember a few years ago when many clergymen were participating in civil rights and anti-war demonstrations? A complaint often heard was that they should stay in their pulpits and preach the Gospel, rather than protest the Pentagon and help Martin Luther King to overcome. But I disagreed. The ministers should minister to the people who really need it, I always said. They should go into the streets and help the oppressed and protest injustice and march against an immoral war. To me, this was more important than showing up at 10 a.m. every Sunday to read a few verses and tell everyone coffee will be served in the fellowship hall following services.

So I can't back down now. Obviously, President Nixon feels he is the victim of a terrible injustice. Just as obviously, Father McLaughlin agrees with him. So no one should insist he act like a regular Jesuit, and get a job teaching theology and coaching basketball at St. Alfonse High School.

Father McLaughlin feels he is needed in the White House to help the American people to understand swearing is wrong for little kids but healthy for Presidents. And obstructing justice is a crime for your Uncle Harry but a patriotic duty for statesmen with law degrees.

So be it. I might be tempted to join the cynics in wondering when Father McLaughlin hears confessions. But that would be wrong.

Frederic News
by Arlein Kesby

Rev. Glenn Arnsne spent a week at the Pastor's Conference at Moddy Bible Institute in Chicago.

Community Father and Son Banquet will be held June 13th, 6:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Frederic, a good film will be shown. For reservations you may call 348-8126.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Paul of Midland were Sunday callers of the Elmer Haggadone's. Last weekend Mr. Haggadone's sister Genevieve Bayliff of Rochester, and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Tottingham from Drayton Plains were visitors.

The Northland Rabbit and Cavy Breeders Association will be holding their monthly meeting at the Elmer Haggadone's on Wednesday June 12th at 7:30 p.m. Anyone interested in rabbits please come or call 348-9707.

The next Frederic Homecoming meeting will be held June 11th, Tuesday evening instead of Thursday, at 8:00 p.m. at the Frederic Sportsman's Hall. Please notice the change in date.

Carnival tickets are now on sale 3 for \$1.00. See Vi Middleton. Orders will not be taken.

Frederic Auction Sale, June 15th at the Fireman Hall starts at 1 p.m. sharp. Household goods, furniture, etc. If anyone has items for the Auction Sale, please contact Al Leng at 348-8080 for pickup or Del Antea at 348-9148.

Frederic Community Library is still in need of Glen's Market grocery slips and the bonus coupons from different food items. Blue and pink coupons are useable.

There will be a Rummage and Bake Sale on June 15th at the Town Hall from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. to raise money for the summer reading program and film program for the library.

The picnic for the 1974 Royal Family Crowning will be June 23rd. Weather permitting, at 1 p.m. Sunday in the park.

Frederic Royal Family Picnic Games

On June 23rd following the picnic at 1:00 a Marshmallow race - ages 5-8. Pie eating contest, ages 9-12. Water balloon toss, ages 13-17. Tire Rolling Race, Wheel Barrow race and an egg toss contest for all ages.

The Lordsman Quartet of Anderson College, Anderson Indiana, will be at the Frederic Church of God, June 7th at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

Mike Ayers son of Ed and Marian Ayers of Frederic, is bass guitarist for the group.

Callers this week in Frederic were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Aumiller. They were wed May

1968.

The Silver Tops met at 6:30 p.m. on June 11th for a potluck.

The N.E. Regional Council on Aging will meet in Tawas City June 12th. Call the office if you would like to go.

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4. Decrease the size and cost of the college's administration [We must stop wasting money on overhead if we are to comply with the recommendations of the North Central Accreditation Committee and renew our own commitment to quality education],
5. Provide full-time student counseling and enthusiastic support for student-run projects [student government, student activities and entertainment, sports, etc.]
6. Encourage co-operation between all parts of the college community, the students, the faculty, the administrators and the residents of the area. Decisions about how the college should be run must be made by all of us together.

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**Chosen For
 Honor Society**

Part of June Feldhauser's Music Class presented a program at Ausgria Acres Tuesday, May 30, at 7:30 p.m. Those presenting selections were: Robin Wooley, piano solo, "Greetings" and "Snake Dance"; Ted Methner, piano solo, "Riding on a Mule" and "Bicycles"; Kathy Mead, vocal, "Frolic, Frolic, Frolic" and "Barbara Allan"; Steven Gildner, guitar, "The Girls I Left Behind" and "Clementine"; Regina Methner, piano, "The Music Box" and "The Elevator".

Also, Shannon McNamara, piano and voice, "On A Clear Day" and "People"; piano, "My Heart" and "Gertrude's Dream Waltz"; Patricia Dulay, vocal, "Theme from Love Story," strum guitar and sing, "Leaving on a Jet"; Tammy Lindsay, piano, "Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2"; Tim Armstrong, piano "Sonata Pathetique" by Beethoven, vocal comedy, "Tonight" from "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum" and "A Time For Us" from "Romeo and Juliet".

Everyone sang "Love Makes the World Go Round" after which dainty cakes and coffee were served to the friends, parents and students in attendance.

By request, Mrs. Feldhauser sang "Trees" and "Somewhere My Love."

The woman must have been a college junior during some portion of the preceding year.

She must have maintained a continuous 3.0 (B) average or better from the Freshman year.

She must have shown leadership qualities and a willingness of service to the college and the community.

Gnosis has not yet been accepted by the National Mortarboard Society but hopes for acceptance soon. The only apparent obstacle remaining is one of time-a minimum number of years required for an honor society to have had an alumni group. Being connected with a comparatively new college, Gnosis has not met this requirement, but hopes to re-apply for national recognition within about three years.

Escaping Moon?
 The moon's orbit around the Earth moves out into space about one foot every 30 years.

Building Trades

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advisory committee.

Carl Reynolds - on site director and inspector who went above and beyond the call of duty in working with the boys. An excellent job of coordinating and instruction was done.

Dick DuBois - who has supplied most building materials with deferred billing pending sale of the house. Dick also served as an invaluable construction consultant.

Dave Wyman - builder and Crawford AuSable School District Board of Education member who provided blueprints and continuous construction expertise.

Don Jansen - of Jansen's Plumbing provided time and expertise in the areas of plumbing and heating.

Clyde Borchers - of Cornell Real Estate who provided the lot with deferred billing pending the sale of the house, provided advice from a real estate sales point of view and provided sales arrangements.

Paul Thompson - of Cornell Insurance Agency who provided insurance consultation and advice from the viewpoint of an insurance agent.

Bob Funk - of Grayling Electric who provided electrical consultation.

Ron Nagy - Director of Vocational Programs - COOR Intermediate School District.

Fraser Dean - Superintendent of Schools.

Kent S. Reynolds - Grayling High School Principal.

Many other citizens and businesses were involved and gave aid:

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cavanaugh - 107 Woodleaf Drive, neighbors who provided phone, water and security.

Jack Millikin - contracting who donated site clearance and some other site preparation.

James Small - who donated time, expertise and equipment with our block work.

Wegner's Hardware - which provided tools and electrical and other supplies at a discount.

Russ Mudge - of Russ's Drywall who provided instruction, equipment and supervision of drywalling.

Carriage House of Grayling - which supplied kitchen cabinets and countertops at a discount.

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Teachers

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historical writings about Crawford and Kalkaska counties, and pursue various other hobbies.

Guests of Mrs. Baynham attending the dinner were her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Baynham; her daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Dick (Carol) Williams; and her sisters, Bessie and Dora Feldhauser, all of Grayling. Mrs. Klein's guests included her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John (Carolyn) Engel of Reed City; and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley (Ruth) Brown of South Bend, Ind.

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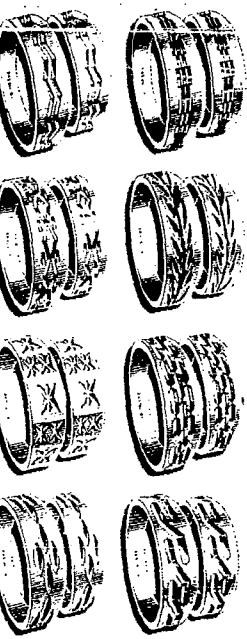
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Hospital News

[by Ruth Caid]

The Cheerful Givers Club will meet at the Club room Thursday, bring scissors.

Congratulations to our graduates, Brenda and Tim Armstrong, Susie Pearsall, Steve Kinsman, Harold Schmidt and Don Burden.

Mrs. Ruth Caid is visiting her son and family at Three Oaks, and attended the graduation of her granddaughter, Sherry Caid.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fairbatham of Grayling on May 28, a son, William Hubbard, weighing 5 lbs. 12 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Boersma of Grayling are the proud parents of a daughter, Stephen Sue, born June 3, and weighing 6 lbs. 7 1/4 ozs.



Miss Margaret Douglas and Jim Douglas attended the wedding of their nephew, Tom Douglas Jr. and Karen Jean Eberly at Livonia on Friday, May 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rose and family of Midland, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koernke.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and daughter, Lynn, spent the holidays at their cabin on the North Branch.

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Mr. and Mrs. Doug Orr of Dowagiac, and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Hogan of Saginaw, spent the holidays at their cabin.

Mrs. Marie Olsen of Grayling, and daughter Doris and husband of Detroit, called on old friends Saturday.

Bill Miller returned home after spending several months at his cabin on the North Branch.

Anyone having books to donate to our library please call 348-9730 or 348-9495, or leave at the home of Ruth Caid.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bolton and son of Detroit, were breakfast guests of Fred Schaible on Saturday.

Daily Vacation Bible School will start on June 10th at the Chapel, at 9:00. All children are welcome to attend.

Paula and Todd Harwood had perfect attendance at Sunday School this quarter.

A family reunion was given for Paul Heidrich of K. P. Lake on his 70th birthday, on Saturday, May 25th, at the Cheerful Givers Club in Lovells.

The party was given by his daughter, Mrs. Sandra Gates and husband of Jackson. Also his sons and wives, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heidrich of Ishpeming and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Heidrich of Detroit. His brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Heidrich and family of Detroit were present. There were about 30 guests. A lovely time was had by all.

The cabin of Ten Incorporated was completely destroyed by fire Monday afternoon. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Mrs. Ruth Caid attended her 50th class reunion, with 7 members of the class present at West Branch on Saturday, May 25th. Mrs. Geneva Grieves accompanied her.